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Bearcats Tame Bears in Overtime Thriller

Class in Tests Plans Survey of Quitman Schools

A Scholarship Ranking Survey of Consolidated School District Will Be Made Under Mr. Cooper's Direction.

A scholarship ranking survey of the Quitman Consolidated town school and the four rural schools in the district will be made the first of next week by the College class in Tests and Measurements under Mr. Cooper. This survey will cover the testings of more than a hundred and fifty pupils in the town schools and rural schools of Tarp, Royster, Butler, Fairview.

The students who will make the survey under the direction of Mr. Cooper are: Mary Goodpasture, Lenore LaVan, Margaret Quinlin, Zella Needles, Ruth Cagley, Rosella Foreman, and Homer Richmond.

The object of the survey, according to Mr. Cooper is to furnish a definite objective basis for comparison of individuals, classes, grades, and the school with other school systems by the use of standardized educational tests for the various subjects, and this checked against the ability of the pupils as shown by measurement of intelligence. It will furnish the administrators and teachers an opportunity to know how pupils rank and discover individual weaknesses. It will show the teachers whether the individual is working up to his capacity in each subject. It also tends to furnish a strong incentive upon the part of the pupil for self improvement.

This study will show the quality of the pupil's work in arithmetic, reading, geography, language, etc. as compared to where he should rank. Mr. Cooper pointed out The records make for a more definite classification of students by enriching their programs and likewise to build up a suitable program and strengthen those not doing satisfactory work in the grades they are in.

The following tests will be used in the survey: Detroit primary achievement test; Gates primary reading test; Stanford achievement tests covering the subjects of reading, spelling, arithmetic, history, language, geography, and agriculture; Terman intelligence test; N. C. (Continued on Page 3)

Girls' Swimming Teams Organized

Intramural swimming for girls was started last Wednesday. Each class has a team of five and from these a Varsity team is chosen. Wednesday only nine girls reported for swimming practice. Each class urges its members to come out and support them in this sport.

The events in these classes are: plunge for distance, 20-yards crawl for time, side stroke for form, head carry for time, breast stroke for form, back stroke for time. This sport is for those who can swim, as no lessons are given, just merely instruction during practice.

Nutrition Students Working on Projects

Miss Starr's nutrition class is going to take up an interesting project in the near future. Each girl is to have an under-nourished girl under her care. Through the work in nutrition they plan to build up and develop the child to what he should be. Definite type research is to be done on this problem.

Judging Clothing Contests
Members of the home economics department have been judging clothing from the Cameron school.

Mary Green, a member of the group who judged the garments, reports that some of the work was most excellent, showing that the teacher, Mary Hansell, was stressing many good points along lines of art and selection of materials. The standard scale was used in judging the clothing.

H. S. Cage Stars Coming Here on March 2-3, 9-10

Sub-District Tourney For Andrew And Nodaway Counties First Week of March—16 District Teams To Come Following Week.

Rules and regulations governing the forthcoming annual spring basketball tournaments for the high schools of Northwest Missouri, to be held at the College here, March 9 and 10, have been announced by Mr. Sealeman, tournament manager and sent out this week to all of the high schools in the nineteen counties of the district.

The College will also sponsor the sub-district tournament for the high schools of Nodaway and Andrew Counties to be held here March 2 and 3. Regulations concerning this sub-district tournament were also sent out this week.

The regulations of the district tournament are as follows:

To Be Elimination Tourney
M. E. Sealeman, State Teachers College, Maryville, manager for Andrew and Nodaway Counties.

These sub-district tournaments must be held not later than March 3 and the winners certified to M. E. Sealeman, district tournament manager, to reach him not later than March 5. For information concerning these sub-district contests you will get in touch with the respective managers. The winner and the runner-up of each of these sub-district tournaments will be eligible to compete in the district tournament at Maryville.

Sixteen Teams Eligible

1. The tournament will be composed of sixteen teams, the winner and runner-up of each of the eight sub-district tournaments.
2. Every team must be a member of the Missouri High School Athletic Association and of the Northwest Missouri High School Athletic Association.
3. Each team will be permitted to play a maximum of eight players. The State (Continued on Page 4)

Maryville Goes Into First Place Tie by Stopping Springfield 40 to 34—Score 34 All at End of Game—Kirksville Here Next

At 8 o'clock tonight the Springfield bears were leading in the M. I. A. A. conference. They had lost only two games, one to Kirksville and one to Maryville.

At 8 o'clock the Bearcats were tied for second place in the conference. They had lost games to Cape Girardeau, Warrensburg, and Springfield.

At 9:15 o'clock tonight the Springfield Bears were forced to move over and share first place with the Bearcats—all because of what has happened in one hour and fifteen minutes. It is doubtful if either the Bears or Bearcats know exactly what happened in that period of time—and it is a known fact that the nerve-shattered spectators are still dazed.

The scoreboard was the only unexcited thing in the gym and at 9:15 its face read, "Maryville 40, Springfield, 34." But what happened to that scoreboard in the hour and fifteen minutes would make an eight-reel thriller read like a semester exam in Sanskrit.

Had an emotional television machine been attached to the tally board to register the re-actions of the crowd the instrument would have been burnt out long before the game was over in its endeavor to register the thrills, the throbs, heart-beats, hopes, fears, despair, glee, and final pandemonium of the fans in that forty-five minutes.

But to get back to the game. Shortly after the clock ticked eight Referee Bunn stepped to the center ring and blew his whistle. The temperature was already at fever pitch with expectancy. The band was playing, "Bearcats will shine tonight." The Green and White Peppers were peeping it at top speed. Every fan was already sitting on the edge of his seat.

Burks, steps into the center ring. He shakes hands with Marshall. Up goes the leather oval. The whistle blows. Burks tips the ball to Ungles. It goes to Harris; to Iba; to Burks; and to Hedges, who slips it through the meshes for a counter. The boys are stretched.

But not for long. For Fox, that sly Springfield forward makes a one-pointer on a foul, and then two more and tips in a rebound to give his team five points. Again the Bearcats hit their stride. Hedges hooks a pretty one and Ungles gets a free throw. The tally is tied at 5 all.

By rapid passing Stark slips through the hard-working defense and tallies the hard-working defense and tallies the hard-working defense. Ungles comes right back with a pair. Seven all. Time out is called. The crowd heaves a sigh.

Again play is started. The passing is fast, the fighting ferocious. Ungles gets away for a nice pot-shot and Hedges curves in one from a difficult angle for a four-point lead. But this lead soon melts away for Thomas makes a free throw good and then the elusive Fox counts two from the field to give the Bears a one-point lead. Clark comes in from behind for a nice one to make it fourteen. The fans plead for more baskets. Hedges heeds the call with a long one just before the half ends 13 to 14 for the visitors. The crowd tries to relax—but can't.

Spurt Starts Second Half
And then that second half. Oh! that second half. In less than a minute Ungles counts a close one from close range for a one point lead. Fox retaliates with a long one to take the lead again.

Then the Bearcats get hot. In rapid succession Hedges, Burks, Ungles and then Hedges score from the field. They are seven points ahead. Another spurt like that will put the game on ice. But no such luck. The Bears call time out. They talk it over and rest. When play is resumed they fight like demons and the Bearcats seem paralyzed while the visitors run the score up to 23 all. Thomas and Fox make two more, giving them a four-point lead. Things look serious. Time is getting short. The fans are pleading for counters. Just two more or many.

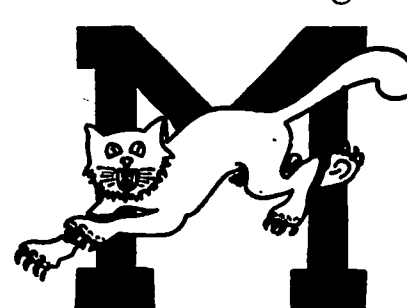
Hedges gets the ball, turns and gives it a flip. It sails through the net. Two more points will tie. But no, Fox is loose again and gets a set-up. 25 to 29. The clock ticks on.

Something tells Hedges it is now or never. Three straight times he gets the ball and each time flips it for a counter. The Bearcats are ahead 31 to 29.

Timer Rainos stands up. He gets his gong ready. That minute hand moves slowly—so slowly that Thomas slips in and makes a counter, 31 all. Both teams are pacing madly up and down the court. Ferguson is fouled and makes it good. Clarke is fouled and he tallies. 32 all. Burks is fouled and he shoots true. The ball goes down the field and Thomas shoots—it's good. The Bears are one point ahead.

The timer shifts his position and makes ready to strike the gong. The ball is under the Bearcat goal. Every fan is pleading for a basket. Hedges slips under the basket and shoots. It goes through. But Referee Bunn's whistle blew. Ungles was fouled—Hed-

Beware Bulldogs



The Bearcats Ire Is Up

Friday and Saturday the Ferocious Kirksville Bulldogs will invade the Bearcat lair for two games. Kirksville has every man who was on its team last year that beat the Bearcats and tied with Maryville for first place in the conference. Kirksville has won and lost a game with Springfield and Warrensburg. So has Maryville.

The winner of these two games will here will decide whether the Bearcats or Bulldogs will race Springfield and Warrensburg to the finish in the conference race. Which will it be—Bearcat or Bulldog?

The Bearcat ire is up. How about the students? Let's send the Bulldogs home yelping for mercy. What do you say?

gus goal doesn't count. Ungles steps up to the line. He tosses the ball through the meshes to tie the score at 34 all. The gong sounds—the half is over. My what a half.

Overtime a Walk-away

The teams, dead tired, were almost ready to drop in their tracks. They rest for five minutes and the crowd tries to but can't. Bunn calls the teams back on the court. He starts the ball at center. In less time than it takes to tell it the ball goes down into Maryville territory and Burks gets a set-up. The fans feel better. Then Hedges gets a nice one. The Bears are battling but they can't get any baskets. Ferguson, who seems to be all over the court, gets under the basket and tallies to make it 40 for the Bearcats. Up and down the court they go. The crowd tries to watch the game and the timer both. As he rises from his seat, mallet in hand, the crowd shouts and whoops and yells. Omg goes the gong. The crowd goes wild. Pandemonium reigns.

Such a game! It will take the fans

COLLEGE CALENDAR

Feb. 11—H. S. Alumni Party.
Feb. 14—Tarkio There
Feb. 15—Pi Gamma Mu meeting.
Feb. 16—Hart House string Quartette, Toronto, Canada.
Feb. 17—18—Kirksville Here
Feb. 23—"Dulcic," 3-act comedy by Dramatic Club.
Feb. 23—Warrensburg There
Feb. 24—Sigma Tau Informal Dance.
Feb. 28—Hillyards (1927 national champions) Here
March 3—Kirksville There
March 26—Tall-Thompson—Mo-Coy, Dancer, pianist, soprano; Three artists of rare ability to entertain.
May 4—The grand opera, "Aida."

College High Has Valentine Party

The Sophomores of the College High School had a Valentine party, Wednesday evening in the recreation room. Various Valentine contests were held and prizes were awarded to winners of each. Refreshments of brick ice cream and sweetheart cakes were served.

Those on the refreshment committee were Mary Dougan and Helen Winnell; on the entertainment, Rebecca Shell, Everett O'Day, and LaVerne Campbell; and on the decorating committee were Opal Cooper and Faye Swaney.

Those present were Beatrice Cox, Faye Swaney, Rebecca Shell, Helen Hilt, Daisy Richey, Helen Birkenholz, Elaine Bolin, Helen Winnell, Esther Spire, Mary Dougan, Opal Cooper, Everett O'Day, LaVerne Campbell, Irvin Killam, James Conway, and Miss Margaret Franken and Ludema Tannehill.

College to Hold Ag. Short Course Feb. 28-March 2

University of Missouri Agriculture Faculty and Farm Agent to Co-operate With S. T. C. in Farming Lectures.

An agricultural short course for farmers of Northwest Missouri and others interested in farming will be given by the College with the co-operation of the agricultural extension department of the University, to be held in Maryville, February 28 to March 2, Mr. Kinnaird announced this week.

The University Agricultural school is sending several members of its faculty here to assist Mr. Kinnaird in the course and J. Ross Fleetwood, Nodaway County farm agent, will also help with the course. The men who will be here from Columbia are: M. F. Miller, soils department; L. A. Weaver, animal husbandry department; A. J. Durant, specialist in poultry diseases; and O. A. Helm of the farm crops department.

Sessions will be held in the mornings and evenings of the four-day course. Plans are now being worked out for the program which will be announced later. Everyone interested in any phase of farming will be invited to attend these sessions.

Charolite McMahon was taken to the Missouri Methodist Hospital the first of the week where she underwent an operation for appendicitis late Tuesday. The latest reports from her were that she was getting along very nicely.

State Y. W. -- Y. M. To Mee April 6-7

The regular state Y. W. and Y. M. convention will be held at Columbia, April 6 and 7. The purpose of the joint convention is an attempt to bring the two organizations closer together.

There will be some distinguished speaker of each organization present. Plans for the attending of the convention will be made later.

Miss Letha Lowen of St. Joseph will be the guest of Miss Helwig this weekend. Miss Lowen is instructor of mathematics in the Lafayette High School in St. Joseph, Missouri.

New Dorm-to-Gym Cinder Path Made for Campus "Trail Blazers"

A long-felt need is being met by College authorities in placing a sidewalk where a path has been worn from the gymnasium to the dormitory. It is hoped that students who have hitherto followed the "straight and narrow" path through the campus will follow the new and curving cinder walk. The students may feel that the walk is curved in order to give them a little more exercise but they will soon realize that the curves really fit into the landscape better than straight lines and make it more beautiful. Also it was necessary to curve the walk to the north because of the lake which may be built south of it. The ground was surveyed recently for this lake, which

Reserved Seats for Hart House Quartet Ready

Students May Exchange Major Coupon For Reserved Seat At Kuchs Bros. Beginning Tuesday—Big Crowd Expected.

The sale of reserved seats for the celebrated Hart House stringed quartet, the first major entertainment for this quarter, will open at Kuchs Bros. Tuesday, February 14, the entertainment committee announced this week. The Quartet will give its concert at 8 o'clock Thursday evening, February 16.

Students will be admitted upon presentation of their major coupons. They may exchange them at Kuchs Bros. for reserved seats. The general admission will be \$1.00. Judging by the past popularity of stringed music here a large crowd is expected to attend the concert.

The personnel of the quartet includes as its leader Geza de Kreszy, who went to Canada as a result of adverse post-war conditions in Europe where he had been the leader of his own famous quartet in Bucharest and had become widely known as a brilliant soloist and an ideal interpreter of chamber music. He associated himself in Canada with his old friend, Boris Hambourg, a cellist who had played a conspicuous part in the musical life of London, together with Harry Adaskin and Milton Blackstone, two outstanding young Canadian musicians with the essential qualities for quartet playing in its highest form. Not only were they technically and musically equipped to a high degree, but they were also remarkably akin in temperament and ideals to the two older members, who were pupils together of the great Tsygne.

As a result of the sincerity of its art, the Quartet has already had the distinction of appearing before the most distinguished institutions and musical clubs in Canada and the United States.

Varied Program To Be Given
The program to be given here next Thursday night is as follows:

I
Quartet G major K. 387 Mozart
Allegro vivace assai
Menuetto
Andante Cantabile
Molto Allegro

II
Poom What is the wind John Beach
That I here calling
By day and by night?
Fiona MacLeod

III
Italian Serenade Hugo Wolf
Quartet D minor Schubert
Allegro
Andante con moto
Scherzo
Presto

Violinists Find "Buried Treasure"
One of the most valuable collections of old violins in the world has recently come into the possession of this Hart House Quartet. The collection consists of six priceless instruments which were found a few months ago in the possession of a Vancouver second-hand dealer.

"I had no idea that the fiddles were worth anything unusual," said the dealer, "because I specialize mainly in cuckoo clocks."
The five instruments, it develops, (Continued on Page 4)

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COLLEGE OATH
"We will never bring disgrace to this, our College by any act of cowardice or dishonesty. We will fight for the ideals and sacred things of the College. We will respect and obey the College laws and do our best to incite a like respect and reverence in others. We will transmit this College to those who come after us, greater, better and more beautiful than it was transmitted to us."

FOOTBALL AND GOOD GRADES.

The view is rather widely held that intercollegiate athletics interfere with the scholastic work of students. With some educators and perhaps with the general public the opinion prevails that the emphasis often placed upon these contests between schools is out of proportion to their importance; that it tends both to detract proper attention from the student who excels in scholarship and serves as a serious handicap upon the student who actually participates in the contests.

What the truth is in both cases perhaps remains to be shown. In practice it seems that members of football and other teams do fall, as a rule, to measure up to the scholastic standards attained by other students. This is the implication of a survey of forty-four institutions of higher learning by the Carnegie Foundation for the Advancement of Teaching. But while it is shown that members of athletic teams, in a majority of cases, are below the general average in class standing, it is explained the results of the survey are inconclusive because no uniform system of grading was employed in the institutions. The situation points to the necessity for a study of the question which will afford a reliable basis for conclusions. Other surveys, limited to a single institution or to a group of schools, emphasize the same need.

There have been many instances of students prominent in athletics who also made excellent records in their studies. Whether the condition indicates simply unusual individual capacity or that there is no necessary conflict between athletics and the regular academic work remains to be established. But in view of the general belief that the conflict exists, it would be desirable to have the question cleared up. For it relates both to popular confidence in the performance of the institutions and to their service as a whole.—Kansas City Star.

Heads You Lose

High—Al, is the headlights on?
Higher (getting out to examine lights)
—Jus' one's burnin', 'n' it's red. (A moment later, with great astonishment)
—'N' we got two white tail lights!

Small College Can Give Human Touch

Writer in Current History Says Small Liberal Arts Institution Can Definitively Prove Its Right For Existence.

Donald G. Cowling in Current History. The 4-year college of liberal arts is being called upon in a very definite way to prove its right of existence. There are those who say that the day of the separately organized college has passed and that it should be replaced by other types of institutions better adapted to the spirit of the time.

The unique value of the liberal arts college, lies in the fact that through its smaller classes and more individual instruction it is able to give the personal, the human touch, the lack of which is the secret of the ineffectiveness of so much university teaching today. Its aim as differentiated from that of professional schools is to develop the student with respect to all his capacities into a mature, symmetrical, well-balanced person in full possession of all his powers, physical, social, mental and spiritual, with an intelligent understanding of the past and a sympathetic insight into the needs and problems of the present.

Growth in intellect and character is not sudden but gradual; a boy does not become a man in a day. There is an intermediate period during which he needs to be treated by methods which are neither those of the high school on the one hand nor of the university proper on the other. It is with this transition period that the liberal arts college is especially fitted to deal.

Mr. Lamkin Attends H. S. Athletic Meet

Board of Control of State Athletic Association Plans For Basket Ball And Track At Columbia Meeting.

President Lamkin returned Sunday from Columbia where he attended a meeting of the Board of Control of the State High School Athletic Association. Final arrangements were made Saturday for the state high school basket ball tournament and the state interscholastic track and field meet to be held in Columbia March 16 and 17, and May 4 and 5. The meeting was with C. L. Brewer, Missouri's Athletic director.

The board of control approved the plan submitted by Brewer, O. G. Sanford, Jefferson City, and Carl Burris, Clayton, to divide the 575 state high schools who are members of the association into three classes for the track meet, and to hold elimination tournaments in basketball.

Under the plan accepted Saturday, the winners and runners-up of the preliminary tournaments in Kansas City and St. Louis will come to Columbia for the finals, as well as first and second place winners of the tournaments that will be held at each of the five state teacher's colleges. Only the winner of the special elimination tournaments at Rolla and St. Joseph will be entered at Columbia in the state finals. Such an arrangement, Brewer pointed out when making the announcement, will allow sixteen teams, each the winners and runner-up of a divisional tournament to enter the finals at Columbia, which will be under the supervision of the Missouri athletic department. As was done last year, the University of Missouri athletic department will present a trophy to the school whose team wins the tournament, and to second, third and fourth place winners smaller awards will be given. Gold basketballs will be presented individual members of the state championship team, and silver basketballs to members of the second, third and fourth place winners.

Second and third place winners will be determined by the board of control by comparative scores, inasmuch as the tournament will be run on a consolidation basis, which otherwise might eliminate a strong team in the first game.

The board voted to allow each team only eight men in the state finals, which they believe will not give such an advantage to the larger city schools, who usually have from fifteen to twenty on their first team.

In the interscholastic track and field meet this year, the board of control decided that no individual will be allowed to enter more than five events, and of the five, only two can be track events. The schools must keep in their classes, so that smaller schools cannot enter their stars in Class A division in order to compete in faster company.

All schools with enrollment over 500 will be under class A, all those between 150 and 500 under class B, and all other members of the state association will compete as class C. No junior college competition will be held this year, in either the basketball tournament or the track and field meet, Brewer said.

Art Class Draws Athletic Figures

Miss DeLue's class in drawing and painting is making a study of human figures. The members of the class are Virginia White, Lucile Sturm, Ruth Goslee, Alice Dodds, Marie Shannon, Emily Martin, Ruth Flores, Audrey Stewart, Lorena Gault, and Gladys Adkins. At first these students drew figures without a model and later Mary Lee Peck modeled for them in different poses, one of which was a basketball player in action. After having the experience of copying figures this way some of the class are now drawing pictures of players during basketball games. Some very good pictures were made by Lucile Sturm at the Cook Paint game Tuesday night.

This kind of art might be compared to the Greek art. In fact some people think that a renaissance is taking place in this country now and compare it to that of the old Greeks. We are alike in our love of athletics—our little prudence about the human figure—our leisure and our commercialism only their slaves produced their leisure while it is our machinery which allows us our freedom of time. Other people question that our art can equal the Greeks. Idealism and self-sacrifice helped produce their art. The Greeks had to sacrifice their own interests for their nation while the Americans have no call to sacrifice now.

In Greece all was for the richer class but in a democracy like this it is for everyone. The Greeks learned to draw at athletic games. The discus thrower which used to stand in front of the library and is now in the social hall is an example of Greek art. Myron the sculptor obtained his ideas from athletic contests.

So now the pupils in this modern art class are using athletics in action as their models.

Nebr. Orchestra for Sigma Tau Gamma Hop

Johnny Whitstino's six-piece orchestra from Falls City Nebraska has been secured for the Sigma Tau Gamma informal dance to be given at the Elks' club on February 24.

The Sigma Tau's held an initiation Wednesday night and Homer Ogden of Maryville was taken in as a new member of the fraternity.

The Sigma Tau Gamma fraternity is a national organization and was founded in 1920. At the present time there are nine chapters located as follows: Alpha, Warrensburg, Mo.; Beta, Kirksville, Mo.; Gamma, Alva, Oklahoma; Delta, Emporia, Kansas; Zeta, Tahlequah, Oklahoma; Eta, Hays, Kansas; Theta, Maryville, Mo.; Iota, Kent, Ohio. Every chapter is located at some State Teachers College. National officers are as follows: Grand President, E. C. Dent, Lawrence, Kansas; Grand Counselor, Walter Wallack, Girard, Kansas; Grand Historian, Ralph C. Bedell, Kansas City, Mo.; Executive Secretary, Thomas M. Hutsell, Kirksville, Mo.

Conference Race Closest in Years

Upsets Evin All Dope in M. I. A. A. Basket Ball Race For Conference Championship.

This week the Springfield Bears and the Kirksville Bulldogs met in a two-game encounter in the M. I. A. A. and each team won one game. With Maryville having split with Springfield, doped to be the strongest team in the conference, this looks as if it will be the closest race in the history of the conference.

Springfield won the game from Kirksville the first night 25 to 21. The following night the Bulldogs went thru the Bears and came out on top with the long end of a 29 to 19 score.

The dope so far is all scrambled. Springfield was looked upon as the strongest scoring team in the conference. Kirksville was looked upon to repeat from last year as they have the same men back that helped win the tie with Maryville for first place. The Bearcats were expected to make a strong bid for first place with four letter men back, and lots of prospects. Warrensburg, with Tad Reid at the helm, is always hard to beat, no matter what it is. Cape Girardeau seldom has a strong team, at least strong enough to take first. To make predictions as how the race will come out, one has to figure this out:

The Bearcats lost to Warrensburg, then won; lost to Cape Girardeau, then won; lost to Springfield and then took the second game.

Springfield won two from Warrensburg; won from both Maryville and Kirksville, and has lost both to Maryville and Kirksville.

Cape Girardeau lost two games each to Warrensburg and Springfield, but won one from the Bearcats, who con-

quered both the Mules and the Bears in one game.

Kirksville lost to Warrensburg, then won from Springfield after the Bears had trimmed the Mules twice.

The standings up to Thursday, Feb. 9, 1928:

Springfield	.....5	2	.714
Warrensburg	.....4	3	.571
Maryville	.....3	3	.500
Kirksville	.....2	2	.500
Cape Girardeau	.....1	5	.166

The Country Mouse

An old lady from the country came into a big New York hotel into at night. She was given a room with bath adjoining. The next morning the polite desk clerk inquired how she slept thru the night.

"Not very well," replied the old lady. The room was very nice and the bed was pretty comfortable, but I could not get much sleep because I was afraid someone might want to take a bath and the only way to it was through my room."

MYSELF AND I

I want to live with myself and so I want to be fit for myself to know—I want to be able as the days go by Always to look myself in the eye. I don't want to stand at the setting sun, And hate myself for the things I've done.

I want to go out with head erect; I want to deserve man's respect; And here in the struggle for fame and pelf,

I want to be able to like myself. I don't want to look at myself and know, That I'm bluster, bluff, and empty show.

I can never hide myself from me; I see what others may never see; I know what others may never know. I can never fool myself, and so, Whatever happens, I want to be Self-respecting and conscious free.

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Thursday, Feb. 16, 8 p. m.



THE Hart House String Quartet, permanently endowed as a part of the University of Toronto, the popular educational work of the University of Toronto, being the only endowed string quartet in the world. It is considered by musical leaders the equal of any string quartet now playing on the concert stage.

The following clipping was taken from the St. Joseph News-Press, Tuesday, February 7, after the concert of the Hart House Quartet before the Fortnightly Musical Club there.

CLUB HEARS REMARKABLE QUARTET.

Those who, because they love chamber music and rarely have a chance to hear it, braved the rain yesterday afternoon to hear the Hart House quartet were amply rewarded, for this proved to be one of the finest recitals ever sponsored by the Fortnightly Musical Club. The crystal room of the Hotel Robidoux was well filled, not completely, as would have been the case in fair weather, but with an audience unusually appreciative. The most earnest, complete attention was accorded to every phrase.

Though, to old-timers, it may seem like sacrilege to compare a five-year-old organization with the Kneisel quartet of hallowed memory, there were those yesterday who felt that the Hart House excels this once supreme quartet, in spontaneity, in a certain exuberance, never carried too far. The Hart House quartet, without sacrificing one iota of needful unity, preserves the individuality of the various instruments, a rare achievement. The leader, Dr. Kresz, called forth an incredible number of contrasting tones from his violin.

At times the quartet played so brilliantly that it sounded like an orchestra and at other times its work attained a marvelous delicacy. It has been said that no one plays well enough to play Mozart, but his "celestial enchantments of sound" were given with an ethereal clarity and with sincere understanding of the simplicity and beauty of this musician, whose life was all-suffering and whose music breathes only happiness. His entire G major quartet was played and if any preference could be expressed between the four movements, it would fall upon either the minuetto or the andante cantabile.

But the quartet is remarkably versatile and captured the spirit of the ultra-modern. John Beach's setting of Fiona McLeod's poem concerning the wind was fascinating, descriptive and highly characteristic. The "Italian Serenade" brought forth much applause and as encore, Tchaikowski's andante cantabile. In this the players touched the heights. The tenderness of their interpretation was deeply moving. This was the only encore, though the performers were recalled again and again.

Every composition was made absolutely clear to the hearers. There was no blurring, everything was distinct, given with wonderful accent and rhythm, the concluding Schubert D minor quartet being no exception.

College Auditorium

Admission \$1.00. Reserved Seats on sale at Kuchs Bros. beginning Tuesday, Feb. 14

Student's admission, major coupon. These may be exchanged at Kuchs Bros. for reserved seats at no extra charge.

Note: Two student organizations of the College are selling tickets for this concert. They may be exchanged at Kuchs Bros. for reserved seats.

Spelling Aces to Be Here for District Match

Annual Northwest Missouri Contest For Rural, Elementary, and High School Students To Be March 16.

The annual district spelling contest for the schools of Northwest Missouri will be held March 16 this year, it was decided this week by the committee in charge of the contest.

The committee, composed of Leslie G. Somerville, Nodaway County superintendent, Maryville, Miss Irene O'Brien, Daviess County superintendent, Gallatin, and Miss Reta Mitchell, Gentry County superintendent, Albany, met at the College this week to draw up plans for the forthcoming contest.

The contest will open at the College at 9:30 the morning of March 16 under the direction of Mr. Cooper of the College faculty.

The word list will be prepared by the College and words will be selected from the Missouri newspapers, exclusive of periodicals and magazines. This list will not be available to contestants, the same ruling being adopted as is used in the state contest. The same word list will be given to each division. The contest will be divided into three divisions, rural, elementary, and high school. All entries must be mailed to Mr. Cooper not later than March 14.

Only regular students in high school may enter the high school contest. This excludes all persons holding a diploma certifying graduation from high school. No pupil may enter the elementary or rural contest who holds a diploma certifying graduation from grade school. All consolidated districts with rural schools and the so-called job schools must be classified in the high school group and the grade school must compete as elementary schools. In any district where high school work is offered the grade school must compete as elementary schools. Winners of first place in district contest last year will be barred from contest in the same respective divisions this year.

Only one contestant in each division from each county may enter the District Contest. The name of first and second winners in each division in the county contest should be mailed to the leader in the district contest. The second winner may enter in case the first winner is unable to attend.

Gold, silver, and bronze medals will be awarded the winners in each division of the contest. A banner will be given in each division to the county winning in the contest. These prizes will be given by the State Teachers College. The district contest will be a written contest. Each county superintendent should supply the contestants in the district contest in his or her counties with a copy of this bulletin in order that each may know the rules and regulations for the district contest.

The winner in each division is eligible to compete in the State Contest. Provisions for expenses should be arranged by the county from which the winner comes, since the District Teachers Association has not been able to arrange for paying expenses of winners to State Contest this year.

The following additional regulations have been drawn up for the contest: All applicants will be given numbers. These numbers will be the only identification marks on the papers of the contestants.

A short list of not more than twenty-five words will be pronounced as preliminary exercises before the contest proper begins.

Only contestants with the pronouncer and two disinterested county superintendents will be permitted in the rooms while contest is in progress.

Rank of contestants will be determined on the percentage of words spelled correctly. No one will be eliminated until 400 words have been spelled in groups of fifty words per list. In case of tie-additional lists of 50 words will be given to the entire group until winner is determined on percentage basis.

The New International Dictionary 1927 edition will be the standard for correct spelling of words.

No one will be eliminated because of the misuse of capital letters.

Doubtful formation of letters will be counted against contestants.

All papers written by contestants are to be kept by committees, but pupils may see the words they misspelled at close of contest. No papers will be taken from room.

Cast Complete for Dramatic Club Play

"Dulcy", Three-act Comedy Will Be Given in Public Presentation, Feb. 23—Helen Fouts Has Leading Role.

Dulcy, a comedy, in three acts by George B. Kaufman and Marc Connelly will be presented Thursday evening, Feb. 23.

Dulcy Smith in her eager determination to be helpful to her husband and her friends, plans a week-end party at

Co-ed Peg Tells Co-ed Jane What She Thought of Campus Comedies

Jane—"Well Peg, What did you think of the campus comedies?"
Peg—"Listen, kiddo, I've taken seven years of English, two years of Spanish and one year each of Latin, German, French and Greek, but to save my life I can't find words to describe the Campus Comedies, I tell you they were marvelous. Better than ever before, and clever!—I never saw anything equal. Gee, if only I had all the brains, that it must have taken to think of all those stunts, I sure wouldn't be here, burning the midnight oil to get an education."

Jane—"Which one did you think was best?"
Peg—"Say, in all my young life I have never been called upon to answer such a question. I'd rather take a test in citizenship than try to answer that one. Honestly I don't see how the judges ever decided. I'll bet they just shook them all up and took the first one out don't you? Say, wasn't that radio television by the Math. and Science Club clever? How do you suppose they did that? Really I was just petrified, it looked just exactly like the inside of a studio, and I had to look twice to see her home in New York. They are an ill-assorted group, such as only a Dulcinea could summon about her. The three acts reveal them just before and after dinner on the evening of their arrival and on the following morning. Their brief association becomes an unbroken series of hilarious tragedies. It is Dulcy's final blunder which unexpectedly crowns all her mistaken efforts with success.

The cast is as follows:
Dulcinea.....Helen Fouts
Gordon Smith (her husband).....
Truman Nickerson
William Parker (her brother).....
Pay Woodson Null
C. Roger Forbes.....Chilton Ross
Mrs. Forbes.....Vada Cliser
Angela Forbes.....Hildred Fitz
Schuyler Van Dyke.....Vernon Barrett
Tom Sterrett (advertising engineer).....
Kenneth Evans
Vincent Leach (scenarist).....
Harold Braun
Blair Patterson.....William Gaugh
Henry (Butler).....Wiley Poleson
The committees in charge of the play are: Stage Manager, Hesterlynn Shipp; property committee, Katherine Gray, Dorothy Russell, and Ilene Wethered. Lighting, Russel McCoy. Advertising, Paschal Monk, Evelyn Evans, and Lucille Qualls.

Here Is a Hint For Fun at Your Valentine Party

When you see the shop windows full of big red hearts and lovely valentines you will want to have a valentine party.

You may purchase a little valentine for each one, write the invitation on a heart-shaped piece of paper and paste it inside. Each one will have its own envelope for mailing. While you are in the shop you will want to buy red and white crepe paper streamers and hearts for decorating, and more red hearts for your games.

When all your friends arrive at your party you will want to have some fine new games to amuse them with. Here is one of the games:

Write a riddle on the back of each red heart and plan to have six heart riddles for each guest. Write the answers on other hearts, one answer to a heart, and keep these separate from the first bunch. As soon as the guests arrive they may be allowed to draw six hearts with riddles and six hearts with answers on them. If the answers they draw do not fit their riddles they may exchange one wrong answer at a time with someone else. They cannot look at the answers offered them, but if they do not get the right one they may pass it on in exchange for another which may fit some of their riddles. The first one to get correct answers for all his riddles should have a pretty valentine for a prize or a heart shaped box of candy. You must take care that each player exchanges only one answer at a time and does not look at the one he gets until the exchange is made. You can purchase a riddle book for a small sum or you can consult one at the library.

Who Is It?

At the Maryville-Kirksville game excitement was low when a certain Maryville player had an inspiration which he voiced—
"Press them fiercely, now boys; you have a hard battle before you."

A Maryville student reports the professor now has the title—
"Press them fiercely."—Kirksville Index.

Famous Life-Saving Tests

Virginia Dean reports that two of her High School students, Lucille Leeson and Kathryn Lewis, passed the Junior Life Saving Tests in swimming, and received their badges last week.

H. Single, J. Marsh, O. Owen, and E. Campbell.

Following the tournament a Varsity team was chosen and Varsity awards were made: The following players were chosen as members of the Varsity: Seniors; M. Putnam; Sophomores; S. Davis, K. Jones, M. Curran; Freshmen; V. Fattig, (capt.), O. Hall, J. Marsh, L. Carroll, L. Miller.

20 Bearcats Get "M" Sweaters for '27 Grid Season

The football season of 1927 was brought to an official close last week when "M" sweaters were presented by the Athletic Committee.

Many things go to determine who shall receive an "M" sweater but chief among these are: spirit, general attitude, and amount of quarters played. In a few instances those who played fewer quarters than others received sweaters because they showed a willing spirit and ready response.

Eleven men received sweaters with only one stripe, and around these men and four or five two and three year men, will the team of 1928 be built. Captain Willoughby, Kenneth Fouts, Eugene Wilson and Oren Masters played their last season for S. T. C. and received four stripes each.

Captain-elect Charles Graham received three stripes and Ora Mullenax, Robert Westfall, and Homer Ogden have two stripes on their sweaters. The following men received sweaters with one stripe: Orville Hedges, Truman Scott, Mack Graham, Lloyd Hollar, John Smith, Lloyd Harris, Frank Daniels, "Bill" Smith, Clarence Pugh, and Carroll Russell.

Music Pupils Give Assembly Recital

Katherine Gray, Mary Fields, Vernon Barrett, and Paschal Monk, Give Pleasing Program.

Four pupils of Mr. Bronson, voice instructor at the Conservatory of Music, presented a pleasing voice recital at the regular weekly Assembly this week. Those who participated in the recital were Katherine Gray, Mary Field, Paschal Monk, and Vernon Barrett. They were accompanied by Mr. Holdridge.

The following program was given:
"Florian's Song".....Godard
"The Lotus Flower".....Schumann
"My Peace Is Gone".....Graten-Hoffman
Katherine Gray
"Ah! Moon of My Delight".....Lehmann
"The Road to Bally Bree".....Speak
Vernon Barrett
"A Madrigal".....Harris
"Since We Parted".....Allitsen
"Who'll Buy My Lavender?" German
Mary Field
"Valentine's Farewell" (Faust)
Gounod
"Orpheus With His Lute".....Contes
"Gypsy John".....Clay
Paschal Monk

Mr. Bronson's Music Class Gives Program

Last Monday evening Mr. Bronson's solo class presented a program of seven numbers. These programs are held every Monday evening with Miss Dvorak and Mr. Bronson alternating. Although several were present to hear the program all interested in music are invited to come. Next Monday Miss Dvorak's class in violin will give the program Mr. Bronson's program for last Monday:

"From Grief I Cannot Measure"
"Thanksgiving" "Why So Soon, the

Rose Complained".....Mrs. Carter
"Request" "The Lotus Flower"
.....Mary Field
"In Autumn".....Miss Dvorak
"Recovery".....Mr. Bronson
The lecture which follows each program was given by Mr. Bronson on "Robert Franz, His Life and Influence."

Planes Survey for Quitman Schools

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tional intelligence test; and Pinter-Cunningham intelligence primary test will be used in measuring the pupil's native ability.

This survey is made at the request of Superintendent Hubert Garrett and the Board of Education there and will be the first complete survey of its kind in Nodaway County. The University of Missouri has made similar surveys in some of the larger cities. Mr. Cooper feels that the Quitman district is to be congratulated for its interest in this type of survey which proposes to rank the school on the basis of achievement of its pupils, the chief purpose for which the school exists, rather than the physical equipment which is only a means to an end. Mr. Cooper believes that there is a reaction now in education opposing the tendency that prevails in some cities especially, to expend larger sums in elaborate buildings rather than an efficient teaching force, libraries, and laboratory equipment.

A vast amount of work in figuring and compiling the data has to be done after the tests are actually given and this class in Tests and Measurements will handle all of this work in order to bring out the significant features of the survey.

High School Notes

Darlington High School

Our boys and the King City girls won the sixth annual Gentry County Basket Ball Tournament which was held at King City February 2nd and 3rd.

The following teams were entered: Stanberry boys, King City boys and girls, Grandview boys and girls, McFall boys and girls, and the Darlington boys and girls.

The result of the drawing was as follows: Both of King City's teams and the Darlington girls drew bye the first series of games which were played Thursday evening. This was very much in their favor, making it possible for them to secure their usual amount of sleep and rest while the other teams battling on the basketball court. Rest is one of the very essential factors when both endurance and skill are put to a test.

The results of the games Thursday evening were as follows: First game. The Grandview girls defeated the McFall girls. Second game. The Stanberry boys defeated the McFall boys. Third game. The Darlington boys defeated the Grandview boys. The last game was finished Thursday evening at 11:30, making it impossible for the contestants to reach their beds before 12 o'clock.

Friday afternoon the King City girls defeated the Darlington girls and the King City boys defeated the Stanberry boys. This left the King City boys vs. the Darlington boys and the King City girls against the Grandview girls for the final games Friday evening.

The King City girls defeated the Grandview girls in the first game of the evening. The Darlington boys defeated the King City boys by a score of 11 to 12. This was a hard fought and thrilling game. At one time during

the first half King City was in the lead 4 to 5 and the half ended 6 to 5 in Darlington's favor. At one period during the third quarter our boys went through King City's defense for three successive goals and it looked as though our scoring machinery was swinging into action. This left the score 5 to 12 and King City called time out. They surely got their heads together because they held us during the rest of the game. During the last quarter King City looped three goals which made the score 11 to 12, the final score.

A good brand of sportsmanship was displayed by all contesting teams and

coaches feel that both our school and teams were benefited as a result of their participation in the tourney.

Talks to Y. W.

Tuesday evening of this week at a regular Y. W. meeting, Miss Dow gave a talk.

There will be a special worship meeting held Tuesday February 7, at 4:20 o'clock.

Mathematics Students Notice

Mr. Colbert wishes to see as soon as possible all students who intend to take Math. 102 next quarter.



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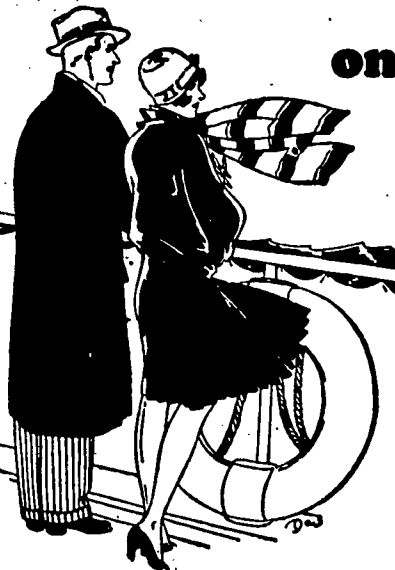
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Bearcats in Lead

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advanced above the .500 mark in the conference standings.

The box score:

MARYVILLE	FG	FT
Hodges, f	6	0
Swinford, f	0	0
McKee, f	0	1
Ungles, f	4	1
Burks, c	4	2
Davison, f	0	0
Iba, g	0	0
Ferguson, g	0	0
Harris, g	1	0
Smith, g	0	0
Total	15	4

CAPE GIRARDEAU	FG	FT
Hunter, f	1	1
Paffy, f	0	0
Hope, f	4	0
Talbert, c	0	0
Noce, c	0	0
Burgess, c	1	1
Harris, g	0	0
Kemp, g	1	2
Total	7	0

Referee: Leslie Davis of K. U.

Cook Paints in Walk-away

The Bearcat wasn't hitting—Bob Mosby and Company were playing over their heads—consequently the Cook Paint five of Kansas City were able to breeze along a 68 to 15 victory over the Bearcats Tuesday night. Slow and long drawn out, it failed to light the spark of enthusiasm in either the student body or spectators. It was simply a team of seasoned veterans pitted against a college quintet of young aspirants who could not get going.

Taking the ball on the first tip off, Mosby dribbled in under the basket and scored. The Bearcat growled—Ferguson received a short pass, eluded the Cook guards and scored, tying the game for the first and only time. From then on it was simply a matter of time. Coach Lawrence readily realized the situation. Sending in his second squad and later giving every man a chance, he saved his "Aces" for the conference games of Thursday and Friday.

Peterson, for several years the bright light of the Missouri Valley Conference, was easily the individual star of the evening. Always on the receiving end of DeBernardi's or Mosby's passes, he played a consistent offensive game, getting eight field goals and two free tries. Smaha entered the game about and in the remainder of the time rang up nine goals, tying him with Peterson for high score of the evening.

From the very beginning the College shots fell short. Hodges and Burks, the so-called "backbone" of the team, failed to function. It could hardly be said that they missed set-ups for they didn't get them. The spirit of the squad was gone and what they lost the city boys gained.

The management of the Cook team sent only six men on the trip but each man was a master in his line of work. DeBernardi, a star of many a court classic, failed to show his usual flash but from his guard position he was a real guiding hand.

When Referee Leslie Davis of K. U. attempted to drive through from Kansas City he failed to take into account the condition of the road he would encounter between here and St. Joseph. The roads were very bad and he made slow progress, arriving considerably late. Hugh Graham, Maryville high school coach started things going and later gave way to Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. Jason W. Kemp '25 and '26 respectively, are now living in Grand Rapids, Michigan. Mr. Kemp is taking special wood carving work.

The varsity and class teams in basketball are requested to meet at Marcell's Studio, Saturday at 1:00 p. m. Everyone is to wear regulation middies and ties.

Tarks and Bulldogs Next Bearcats Foes

The Bearcat schedule for next week calls for one road trip and two games at home. On Tuesday night February 14, the Bearcats will tangle with the Tarkio team on the Tarkio court. The Bearcats are hoped to win this game with ease as they recently defeated the purple and white team in a one-sided affair. Tarkio is in the Missouri College Union and their standings at this time in that conference show that they do not have a strong team.

The Kirksville Bulldogs will journey here for a two-game series on Friday and Saturday nights, February 17 and 18. The Bulldogs have eleven letter men from last year's squad including O. Craig and L. Craig who were picked on the M. I. A. A. all-conference team last year. If the remaining games of this week result as hoped then the games with the Bulldogs will be a battle to see which team will lead the conference.

Kirksville has played four conference games and a number of non-conference games. They split a two-game series with Springfield, won from Cape and lost to Warrensburg by a one-sided

score. They have lost most of the non-conference games but the competition has been very strong including the Cook Paints, K. C. A. C., and C. C. C. of Kansas City and the Kansas City Life team.

H. S. Cage Stars Coming Here

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Teachers College will pay meals and lodgings for eight men and coach until team is eliminated.

16 Games Season Maximum

4. No team is eligible which has played more than 16 games during the season. The State constitution also provides that no team shall have player in more than four approved tournaments during the season, including the sub-district tournament and the district and state tournament for the winning teams. This means that the teams going to the state tournament cannot have played in more than one approved tournament before the sub-district contest. If any team has participated in an unapproved tournament, games shall be counted as a part of the season's maximum total of 16 games. It has been suggested by the state board that approved invitation tournaments be held after the sub-district tournament.

5. Entries must be made on the official state eligibility blank. If you do not have them write to Carl Burris, Clayton, Mo.

One Class and Consolation Flight
6. There will be only one class. A consolation flight will be held in addition to the championship flight and trophies will be given to the winners, runners-up, and consolation winners.

7. The College will pay the transportation expenses of the winners, and runners-up to the state tournament at Columbia. The winner of the consolation flight will be the alternate for the winners.

8. Upon completion of the entry list drawings will be made by the athletic department of the College and teams notified when they will play.

9. All games will be played in the new College gymnasium on the 50 by 90 foot court. Trophies will be awarded the champions, the runners-up, and the winners of the consolation flight.

10. The responsibility of using only eligible players rests on the school authorities of the competing schools. Players must be certified on Form B, State Eligibility blank.

The annual spring high school basketball tournament for Northwest Missouri will be held at the Northwest Missouri State Teachers College, Maryville, Mar. 9 and 10. It will be an elimination tournament this year in keeping with the plan proposed by the Northwest Missouri High School Athletic Association and adopted by the State High School Athletic Association. The State Association has made use of the districts of Missouri as designated by state law and by the Missouri State Teachers Association, and elimination tournaments will be held in each of these districts. The winner and runner-up of the tournaments in the districts of Maryville, Kirksville, Springfield, Cape Girardeau, St. Louis, and Kansas City, and the winners in the districts of St. Joseph and Rolla will go to Columbia to comprise the sixteen teams to compete in the state tournament sponsored by the University of Missouri, March 16 and 17.

Eight Sub-districts

The Northwest Missouri district has been divided into eight sub-districts where tournaments will be held not later than March 2.

These sub-districts and their managers are as follows:

W. H. McDonald, Trenton Junior College, manager for Livingston, Grundy and Mercer Counties.

Price Collier, Richmond High School, manager for Ray and Carroll Counties. William Collins, William Jewell College, Liberty, manager for Clay and Platte Counties.

E. K. Gale, Missouri Wesleyan College, Cameron, manager for Clinton and DeKalb Counties.

Charles Myers, Hamilton High School, manager for Daviess and Caldwell Counties.

N. P. Kyle, Tarkio College, manager for Atchison and Holt Counties.

The Sub-District Tourney
The following regulations concerning the sub-district tournament have been mailed out to the schools in Nodaway and Andrew Counties:

The enclosed rules and regulations state the method of handling the basketball tournament this year. You will note that the State Teachers College will sponsor the sub-district tournament to be held for the teams of Andrew and Nodaway Counties. This sub-district tournament will be held March 2 and 3. The same rules of the district tournament apply to the sub-district tournament. In addition there are other regulations as follows:

1. Every high school team in these two counties which has conformed to the state and district regulations is eligible to participate in this sub-district tournament.

2. Entries must be sent to M. E. Seelcman, State Teachers College, Maryville, on Form B, (State eligibility blank, obtainable from Carl Burris, secretary, Clayton, Mo.), with a postmark not later than February 26.

3. There will be only one class. When the entry list is complete drawings will

be made by the College athletic department, and teams notified when they will play. Games will not start until Friday afternoon.

No Final Game

4. There will be no final game. The two teams winning the semifinals will be certified to represent these two counties in the district tournament.

5. The College will pay meals and lodgings for eight players and coach until the team is eliminated.

Reserved Seats For Hart House

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were formerly owned by an eccentric settler in British Columbia, who had been a great organist in one of the great British Cathedrals, but abandoned his profession in 1910 to take up farming in Canada. Throughout his early life he had made a hobby of collecting old musical instruments, and the cream of his collection he brought with him and the eccentric colonist abandoned all his pursuits to enlist in the army. He sold his household goods in a single lot to the nearest second-hand dealer, laying no special emphasis on the 17th century chest which contained a mass of old violins, bows and odd pieces of musical paraphernalia.

The second-hand man disposed of all the rest of the furniture, but the chest of violins remained in his shop until a representative of the Hart House Quartet visited Vancouver and happened to

stumble on the old chest and its precious contents.

Geza de Kresz, leader of the Hart House Quartet and former orchestra leader at the court of Carmen Sylva, Queen of Roumania, says of the collection: "It is an amazing find. These instruments are not merely museum pieces, for they are in a state of perfect preservation and playable, every one. Unfortunately the effort to find a group of players for them in Toronto has so far been unsuccessful."

"The collection includes two treble violins, an alto viol, a tenor viol, and a Superb Viol de Gamba or knee-viol, so called because it was held between the knees like a cello. This particular instrument is probably a genuine Bergonzi. But the most interesting piece is a Quinton or five-stringed treble viol. In addition, the chest contains a tray of contemporary bows and a number of odd pieces."

"The same collector also possessed

several old lutes and a superb harpsichord which was probably one of the finest extant. Unfortunately all trace of these instruments has disappeared. Other missing pieces of his collection were a theorbo and a charitone, which are probably hidden somewhere in western Canada.

"But the violins which have now found a permanent home at the University of Toronto were undoubtedly the finest part of his collection. The viol family are the ancestors of the modern violin. Viols are distinguished from modern violins by their sloping shoulders and elliptical bodies. The later viols, after the violin shape began to be developed, formed a family of four or five sizes. The bodies contain indentations to make it easier for bowing the outer strings, but the backs are flat and slope toward the neck, while the sound holes are C-shaped. There are from five to seven strings tuned in fourths and thirds."

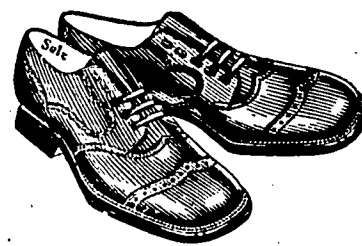
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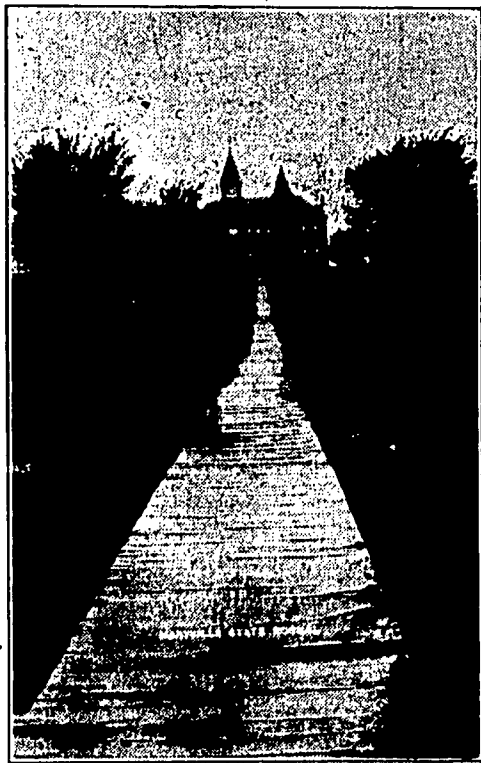
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Thirty-three years ago—before any of the present college buildings were built, before the time of the Old Seminary, before any one in the State had thought of opening a College at Maryville, our shoe store was opened here. For thirty-three years we have been continuously serving the people of Northwest Missouri and many hundred students of the College during the past twenty-one years.

OUR THIRTY-THIRD BIRTHDAY ANNIVERSARY

To commemorate our 33rd Anniversary this month and to show our appreciation for the generous patronage extended to us over this period of years, we are offering unprecedented values in our Anniversary Sale.

Our friends at the College and in educational circles in Northwest Missouri can save real money by caring for their shoe needs at this Anniversary sale which will close Feb. 18.

We can list only a few of the many bargains here. You'll have to see them to appreciate their value!

Bee Hive Shoe Store

"Home of Good Shoes."

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